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Enclosed are:

- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (4 pages).
- Specification, Claims, and Abstract (11 pages).
- Formal drawings (1 sheet, Figure 1).
- Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- Assignment.
- Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- Claim for Convention Priority and Priority Document.

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